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IT IS DENIED.

No Agreement Yet Between
Strikers And Operatives.

Mitchell Says Miners' Convention
Must First Occur.

Question Of Relief Is Now Seriously
Considered.

HAZLETON, PENN., Oct. 3.—In an address to the mine workers today, President Mitchell denied that any agreement had been made with the operatives or the railroads, and reiterated the declaration that no agreement will be entered into until a convention of the mine workers has been held. He urged the strikers to stand together and await further concessions. There is nothing on the surface upon which to base a hope of an early settlement of the strike. The situation in the Lehigh valley remains the same, so far as the number of striking miners is concerned. The question of relief is now receiving serious consideration by the officials of the United Mine Workers.

Will Listen To Grievances.

STIMMANS, PA., Oct. 3.—The only important development in the strike situation in this district today was the posting of notices by the Philadelphia Coal and Iron Co., granting a net increase of ten per cent in wages and offering to listen to the grievances of the men.

No Important Developments.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—There were no developments of special importance in the coal miners' strike today. An interesting feature was the announcement of the Philadelphia and Reading Co. that it would grant an increase of ten per cent in wages and, besides, is willing to submit to arbitration any grievances which the men fancy they have. As yet, none of the strikers have signified their intention of going back to work. Extreme quiet has reigned today throughout the anthracite region. General Gobin, who came into Schuylkill county with state troops, in response to a summons for aid from the sheriff, gave orders today for the return home of another regiment. One left on Monday, and there now remain only one regiment of infantry, a battery of artillery and a mounted company.

KRUGER RESTRICTED.

LORENZO MARQUEZ, Oct. 3.—The restrictions around Kruger are increasing and he is virtually a prisoner. He had been allowed to use the Portuguese governor's carriage. While driving yesterday he met a party of burghers and made them a patriotic speech. The governor has now refused the use of his carriage. Kruger has been warned to make no more speeches and is forbidden to wear the green sash that is the insignia of his office. Kruger expects to sail on a Dutch cruiser for Holland next week.

THE PINKERTONS SUED.

KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, Oct. 3.—Charles M. Polk, who was arrested in October, 1898, on the charge of implication in the robbery of the Missouri Pacific train in Jackson county in September, 1898, has filed a suit for \$100,000 damages against the National Pinkerton Detective Agency. Polk, who was working as a bookkeeper in a local packing house, was arrested at the instigation of Pinkerton operatives.

HEAVY FIGHTING.

LONDON, Oct. 4, 2.00 A.M.—A despatch from Kinnear to the Daily Post says there was heavy fighting on Sunday at Abusana, between the force of Col. Wilcox and the Ashantis. The position of the latter was captured, after a sharp engagement, and seventy Ashantis were killed. The British loss was a major and a captain severely wounded and three officers slightly, three men killed and twenty-eight wounded.



ARCHBISHOP RYAN OF PHILADELPHIA.

His Grace, the Archbishop of the Philadelphia Roman Catholic diocese, maintains stoutly that arbitration is not possible but logical between the striking coal miners of Pennsylvania and the anthracite operators. Archbishop Ryan says he would be willing to serve as arbitrator if an invitation should come from both sides. Father Phillips, the noble advocate of peace, is pushing the proposition to have the matter referred to His Grace.

CHAMPION'S TRIAL OCT. 30TH.

ALFRED, ME., Oct. 3.—Judge Andrew P. Wiswell of the supreme court in an interview yesterday stated that the trial of George H. Champion would begin at an adjourned session of the court, to open on Tuesday Oct. 30th. Champion is charged with murdering George W. Goodwin, Elsie M. Horne, Fred Bertach and Scott E. Goodwin, at West Newfield, on June 11th. The Champion case will take up the entire special session. George S. Haley and B. F. Cleaves of Biddeford, Champion's attorneys, held a consultation with the prisoner this afternoon. Mr. Haley has just come into the case, taking the place of Ex Mayor George Hamilton of Biddeford, who died recently.

GOES TO THE JURY TODAY.

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 3.—The trial of Job Clay, charged with murder in the second degree for the alleged killing of his wife on Feb. 27th, was continued today. Several witnesses were examined and the state rested its case. Clay himself gave his version of the affair. He claimed that he never beat his wife or pulled her hair, as charged by the government. Other witnesses testified that they had never known of any trouble between Clay and his wife. Only one more witness remains to be sworn and it is expected that the case will go to the jury tomorrow noon.

WON BY JOE PATCHEN.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.—Twenty thousand people gathered at the fair grounds today and saw the matched racing race for \$2500 between Joe Patchen and Coney. In the first heat, Patchen took the lead and held it to the half mile. Then Coney passed him, but Patchen forged to the front again and finished a length ahead. The second heat was practically a repetition of the first. The time was 2:05, 2:04 3/4.

MAY BE RUINED.

BOMBAY, Oct. 3.—The Indian coffee trade with France is in danger of being ruined by the new French duty on Indian colonial products. Twelve million pounds of coffee are exported from India to France every year, and twice the duty is charged on it that is demanded on Brazilian coffee.

THE PRESIDENT GUARDED.

CANTON, OHIO, Oct. 3.—The local police guarded the home of President McKinley last night and watched for three possible assassins, of whom warning had been sent by the Washington secret service. Two are Italians and the third passes for an old soldier. The president has not been told of the danger.

SHOT IN THE BACK.

LEXINGTON, KY., Oct. 3.—R. O. Benjamin, editor of the Lexington Standard and attorney for "Tallow Dick" Combs, who is accused of being accessory to the killing of William Goebel, was shot in the back by Mike Moynahan while fleeing after a registration quarrel last night.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy Thursday, with occasional rains on the coast; Friday fair, with light to fresh east to south winds.

THE CHINESE ISSUE.

Allied Expeditions

TIENTSIN, Sept. 30, via TAKU, Sept. 30, via SHANGHAI, Oct. 3.—The American forces will not take part in the expedition against Shang-Sai-Quan. The orders sending the American marines have been revoked. The allies expect no opposition, as they understand that the authorities of the place have been advised to capitulate. General Chaffee and the Russian commander have notified Count von Waldersee of the withdrawal of the American and Russian forces from Peking. The United States marines will be sent to Cavite. The British and Germans continue to send troops to Peking. Renewed preparations are in progress to attack Wu-Ting Fu. The expedition will start in a fortnight. Considerable resistance is anticipated, as the Boxers are gathered there in force.

Russian Operations.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 3d.—The Russian general staff has received a despatch telling of the operations north of Niuchwang. A Russian force of 6000 men, with artillery, met the Chinese on a vast plain covered with high grass, and routed them. The Russians had two officers killed and eighteen men wounded. According to the same advice, a reconnoitering expedition of two cavalry squadrons came in touch with 14,000 disciplined Chinese and were expected to attack them.

DEATH OF AGED ACTRESS.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 3.—Harrietta Sathore, a well known actress here with the Through the Breakers company, while reaching up into a wardrobe at the Hotel Madison yesterday, evidently slipped, as the wardrobe fell upon her, producing concussion of the brain and causing almost instant death. She was about sixty two years of age.

BASE BALL.

The following is the result of the games played in the National League yesterday:

Boston 4, Brooklyn 6; Boston 4, Brooklyn 5; called in the seventh inning on account of darkness; at Boston. Philadelphia 5, New York 4; at Philadelphia. Cincinnati 12, St. Louis 6; at Cincinnati.

MAY CHALLENGE AGAIN.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The report is current in yachting circles that Sir Thomas Lipton will probably issue a challenge for the America's cup within a month. It is said that the races are to be sailed next year, but if that is so the challenge will have to be received very soon. The last day on which a challenge can be received is Dec. 31st.

TRAIN HELD UP.

OMAHA, NEBRASKA, Oct. 3.—A Burlington passenger train was held up three miles south of Council Bluffs tonight. The engine, baggage and express cars were detached. A relief train is now about to start from Council Bluffs for the scene of the robbery.

FOOT BALL.

Yale 27, Amherst 0.
Harvard 12, Williams 0.
Columbia 11, Rutgers 0.

SAVED AT SEA.

Ellerslie's Crew Picked Up By
Another Steamer.

Battered About By Gales And High
Seas For Ten Days.

Their Waterlogged Vessel Had To Be
Abandoned Finally To The Deep.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The British steamer Amarna, Capt. Carr, from Java, arrived in Port today with the captain and thirteen of the crew of the Liverpool steamer Ellerslie, which was abandoned at sea, dismasted and waterlogged, on the forenoon of Sept. 29th, after the crew had been buffeted about for ten days. Capt. Cook of the Ellerslie says that he sailed from Sicily with one million feet of pine, for Liverpool. The weather was fair until Sept. 3d, when heavy winds came up, which grew into a hurricane on the 18th and blew eighty miles an hour for a few days. The sea encroached upon the poop deck, where the crew had taken refuge, until they were forced to tie themselves down. Many of the men sought to quench their thirst by scooping the salt water up in their hands, although Capt. Cook and First Mate Jackson tried to prevent them from doing so. After the masts went by the board, the gale moderated and the crew proceeded to clear away the wreckage. During all these eventful days, the vessel was made a prey of by the wind and waves and signals of distress were hoisted. Three or four steamers were sighted, but none of them apparently saw the signals. Finally, on the 20th, Capt. Cook saw a streak of smoke to the eastward and soon the outlines of a steamer became visible. Later she was hailed and proved to be the Amarna. Her life boats were lowered away and went to the distressed Ellerslie. Though the gale had died down mountainous seas were still running and it was with great difficulty that the crew of the Ellerslie were landed on the Amarna. After all had been rescued, the Ellerslie was set afire.

STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY.

The following is from the Durham correspondence of Foster's Daily Democrat:

Mrs. Berry of Portsmouth, who has been visiting her nephew, Mr. Silas Jenkins, for the past week, was stricken with apoplexy on Monday morning, from which the doctor thinks it will be doubtful if she ever recovers. Mrs. Berry did not come down stairs at the usual time and the hired girl thought she would run up and call her. She went up stairs and knocked on the door but received no answer. She heard groans from within and trying the door found it was locked, so she went below and reported the facts to the family who took a ladder and went up on the outside and got in through a window and found Mrs. Berry lying on the floor beside the bed. She had evidently arisen, as she had got her shoes and stockings on and was in the act of combing her hair when she was overcome by the fatal shock. Dr. Grant was immediately summoned but at the present writing she remains unconscious.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

The foundations for the big engines for the electric plant are about ready. The Reina Mercedes will probably receive a thorough overhauling before next summer arrives.

Quartermaster George E. Sides has recovered from the effects of a surgical operation and is receiving a hearty greeting.

A force of workmen are engaged in building another set of ways in the Franklin ship house. Three torpedo boats will be housed there.

Nine men have been enlisted at the yard and sent to the Wabash during the past week. There are about thirty applicants awaiting examination.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the women's auxiliary board of missions of the Episcopal church was held at the old Queen's chapel on State street on Wednesday. The services commenced at 11 o'clock with the solemn rites of the holy communion, followed by addresses by the rector, Henry E. Hovey, and the Rev. Mr. Robinson of Dover. A letter was read from Harrington Littell, a missionary to China, concerning the state of affairs in that far away land. The mother of the writer read the letter, which was very lately received by her.

REPAIRS AT CHARLESTOWN.

The sum of \$72,858 will be expended at the Charlestown navy yard this month by the construction and repair department alone. It will be spent in the following ways: Repairs on the Machias, \$12,000; on the Olympia, \$12,000; on the Sterling, \$1,000; on the Vicksburg, \$1,000; on the Amphitrite, \$7,000; on the Osceola, \$1,000. The remainder is to be used for general repairs and construction work.

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RAIN.

There is nothing that sounds better,
 When I lie in bed at night,
 Than to hear the rain pattering
 When I know the rain is tight,
 Than to hear the lullaby splashies
 That would faintly sprout a stone,
 And I get up in the morning
 Just to see how things have grown.

I don't go much for thunderstorms;
 They're apt to lodge the grain.
 My taste is for the steady,
 Pouring, downright, all day rain
 That spoils the small potatoes
 Because it makes them grow
 Till they nudge and say, "Roll over!"
 And bulge out of the row.

I own I like to drowse
 When I do it for a shower
 That comes over in a second
 Then I can sit up and listen
 For it's good to sit and listen
 To the seeds a-pudding through
 And, besides, there's always chattering
 For the hired man to do.

—New York Sun.

SIX WEEKS IN A GRAVE.

The Story That Is Told of an Indian
 Fakir's Fate.

The Scottish Medical and Surgical
 Journal quotes a remarkable case of In-
 dian magic recorded by James Blair,
 surgeon, whose observations on mesmer-
 ism are well known. At the palace of
 Runjeet Singh—a square building which
 had in the center a closed room—a fakir
 who had voluntarily put himself into a
 comatose condition was afterward served
 up in a sack and valled in, the single
 door of the room having been sealed with
 the private seal of the runjeet. To ex-
 tend all fraud Runjeet, who was not
 himself a believer in the wonderful pow-
 ers of the fakir, had established a cor-
 don of his own bodyguard round the
 building, and in front of the latter four
 sentinels were stationed who were re-
 lieved every two hours and were contin-
 ually watched.

Under these conditions the fakir re-
 mained in his grave six weeks, when the
 building was opened in the presence of
 the Runjeet Singh, and the seal and all
 the walls were found uninjured. In the
 dark room, which was examined with a
 light, the sack containing the fakir lay in
 a locked box which was provided with a
 seal, also uninjured. The sack, which
 prevented a mildewed appearance, was
 opened, and the shocking form of the
 fakir taken out. The body was perfectly
 stiff. A physician who was present found
 that nowhere on the body was a trace of
 pulse beat evident. In the meantime the
 servant of the fakir poured some warm
 water over the head and laid a hot cake
 on the top of his head, removed the wax
 with which the ears and nostrils had been
 stopped, forcibly opened the teeth with a
 knife, drew forward the tongue, which
 was bent backward and repeatedly
 struck back into its position, and
 rubbed the closed eyes with butter. Soon
 the fakir began to open his eyes, the
 body began to twitch convulsively, the
 nostrils were dilated, the skin, heretofore
 stiff and wrinkled, assumed gradually its
 normal fullness, and in a few minutes
 the fakir opened his lips and in a feeble
 voice asked Runjeet Singh, "Do you now
 believe me?"

While tales of Indian fakirs are calcu-
 lated to excite distrust, and impostors
 trade on the credulous for purposes of
 gain, the fact remains, attested by well
 authenticated cases that certain men can
 voluntarily put themselves into a state in
 which no vital phenomena are demon-
 strable by more or less careful examina-
 tions, and can awake later to normal life.
 In this connection the hibernation of an-
 imals must be mentioned, also the obser-
 vation of Læwenhook that in the dust
 of houses and towns, animalcules exist
 which are capable of drying up complet-
 ly without losing the power of awak-
 ening to active life upon being moistened
 with rain water; also the vital attenua-
 tions attributed to tonds and especially
 the cases of prolonged trance, both con-
 scious and unconscious, with suspended
 animation, and the instances of burial
 alive.—Modern Medicine.

The Prince Got Even.
 Several years ago, while a midshipman
 in the British navy, the late Prince Ar-
 fred, duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, made
 a brief stop at Vancouver's island and
 was entertained at a ball given by the
 governor. He was very much struck by
 the appearance of a girl who seemed to
 be the belle of the assemblage when he
 entered the room and learned by inquiry
 that she was the daughter of the govern-
 or. He had happened, begged his royal
 highness' permission to present the gov-
 ernor's daughter as a partner for the next
 waltz. The prince politely declined, re-
 marking that "his mother would be deep-
 ly mortified to hear that he had danced
 with a squaw."—Argonaut.

Effort to Suppress London.
 New York's laudable desire to be the
 biggest city in the world is in striking
 contrast, as a writer in that city sug-
 gests, with the ambition of London in the
 last years of the sixteenth century, when
 the decrees of the monarch forbade the erec-
 tion of buildings where more had existed
 in the memory of man. The extension of
 the metropolis was deemed to encourage
 the plague, create trouble in governing
 multitudes, a dearth of victuals, multi-
 plying of beggars and inability to relieve
 them; an increase of arduous more than
 could live together; impoverishing other
 cities for lack of inhabitants. The decree
 asserted that lack of air, lack of room to
 walk, lack of light, etc., arose out of too
 crowded a city. A proclamation to the
 same effect was also issued by James I.

Sincere For Once.
 "Don't you think you were unsuccess-
 fully harsh toward that vendor who rang
 the door bell?"

"Yes," answered Mrs. Bizzidigh; "but
 I couldn't help it. It was such a relief to
 have a caller before whom you can doff
 the mask of hypocrisy and say flatly that
 you prefer to be left alone."—Washing-
 ton Star.

Our Vocabulary.
 The English language lends the list
 with the copious vocabulary of 200,000
 words, while the Spanish has only 20,
 000, the German 80,000, the Italian 75,
 000, the French 50,000 and the Turkish
 22,500. Shakespeare's vocabulary is put
 at 12,000. Milton's at 8,000 and the Bi-
 ble at rather less.

WATER ON THE SPINE

ONE SECRET OF HEALTH FOR WOMEN
 WHO TAKE EXERCISE.

The Hot Bath to Blame For Pale Cheeks
 and Bloodless Lips—Difference in the
 Proper Manner of Taking Hot and Cold
 Baths.

There were three of them. They all be-
 longed to a health culture club, and they
 thought what they didn't know about the
 human frame hadn't been discovered.

"I don't understand it at all," re-
 marked the tall, slender woman with the
 pale cheeks and lips. "After I exercise in
 the gym or return from a bicycle ride and
 take my warm bath I almost collapse. My
 hands and feet are like ice the rest of the
 day, and I feel as languid as a constitu-
 tionally lazy person does in spring."

"The same here," responded the stout
 woman. "Now I always take my exercise
 in moderation. If I'm in the gym I never
 work more than an hour. If I go bicy-
 cling, I never ride more than ten miles,
 and when I walk five miles is my limit.
 I don't believe in carrying anything to ex-
 cess. For my part I believe many a woman
 is in school, if there is such a place,
 from belonging to too many church so-
 cieties and attending service too frequently.
 My doctor told me that if I would only ex-
 ercise in moderation and take a warm
 bath afterward I would feel exhilarated
 the balance of the day and that I would
 have no more ailments, but somehow it
 hasn't worked."

"And as for me," said the third woman,
 a brunette, who would have been pretty
 had it not been for her deathlike pallor, "I
 feel like the last rose of summer about the
 time I finish my bath after exercising."

"No wonder you feel like a limp limbo
 after exercising if you take the course I
 afterward," said an elderly man joining
 the group. "Do you mean to say, all of
 you women, that you have no better sense
 than to take a hot or a warm bath after
 violent exercise?"

"Well, you surely would not advise a
 cold shower," said my lady pale lips, with
 a shudder at the mere thought.

"That would be as much of an extreme
 as a hot bath," answered the man. "I've
 studied this question of baths for twelve
 for many years, both here and in other
 countries, and it is astonishing how many
 physicians give incorrect and harmful ad-
 vice on this subject."

"I couldn't give up my hot baths for
 anybody," interrupted the tall woman.

"Then you'll always have those pale
 cheeks and lips that are the bane of your
 life," insisted the man, "and, another
 thing, you'll never know the real joy of
 living physically. By that I mean you'll
 never have a full, free flow of rich blood
 distributed equally throughout every part
 of your body. Why? Well, to begin at
 the beginning, if heat in any form is ap-
 plied to the spine, it tends to arrest cir-
 culation, and prostration in various parts
 of the body is sure to follow. Did any of
 you women ever apply a hot water bag
 between the shoulders?"

"Oh, yes," emphatically from the trio.

"I thought so," said the man, with a
 smile. "I know that nearly all of your
 sex are slaves to the hot water bag. Very
 well, if you've put a hot water bag be-
 tween your shoulders and kept it there for
 half an hour you know how cold and
 clammy your hands and feet grow."

"That's so," admitted the stout woman
 candidly. "It may relieve the sharp pain
 in the shoulders, but the cold, like the
 feeling of the feet and hands that fol-
 lows is almost as disagreeable as the real
 pain."

"The direct injury," continued the
 man, "is to the spinal nervous system.
 When we talk about the backbone of a
 country, we mean that thing which holds
 it up—which keeps it together. So it is
 with the human body. The backbone, the
 spine, with all its wonderful machinery,
 is what keeps the body of ours to-
 gether. Heat applied to the back stimulates
 the great sympathetic nerve and this causes
 the vaso-motor—the little terminal nerves
 surrounding the blood vessels—to constrict
 the blood's vessels and impede circulation.
 You can readily see how much freer cir-
 culation is after exercising, and so the check-
 ing of it by a hot bath causes a tremendous
 relaxation. This is a simple statement of
 the case. The subject is too profound to
 go into detail."

"What effect has cold on the spine?"
 asked the brunette.

"Cold on the spine," answered the man,
 "causes an active circulation and invigor-
 ates one. If you come in from a bicycle
 ride and after cooling off will take a large
 sponge dipped in cold water and rub it
 vigorously up and down the spine, instead
 of retarding circulation it will increase it.
 The blood will go flying through those
 blood vessels connected with the spine and
 reach every part of your body. One can
 take a warm bath without injury, and
 even with benefit at times, provided the
 spine is not immersed."

"The tub should contain plenty of warm
 water and the bather should get into it on
 his hands and knees with his back out of
 the water. In other words, keep your
 back up when you indulge in a hot bath
 and it won't injure you. Then you will
 get through without the depressing effect.
 All around us, we see women suffering
 with colds in very moderate weather. The
 trouble generally arises from the warm
 bath habit. Various ailments from which
 women suffer are also results of a contin-
 uous use of hot water, and pallid lips, which
 are a pretty sure sign of a lack of vitality,
 are still another."

"What's the main good of a cold bath
 but to obtain with only five or three
 inches of water in the tub, just enough to
 immerse the spine, a complete immersion
 is more valuable, especially for bicy-
 clers and other athletes. Cold water not
 only invigorates the skin, and fortifies it
 against the changes of temperature, but
 to a limited extent it also acts as a tonic
 of the system. Its greatest good, how-
 ever, is in its effect on the spine. It de-
 presses the sympathetic nerves and through
 them the vaso-motor. Thus the arteries
 are relieved from excessive spasm and the
 circulation becomes free and vigorous.
 Thorough circulation is thorough nutri-
 tion, and nutrition is health and strength.
 In my travels I've noticed that those wom-
 en living in hot countries who frequently
 plunge into a river or some stream for a
 few minutes don't know what a backache
 is, and as for nerves, why, they never
 hear of 'em. The nations given over to
 cold baths are the women of our phys-
 ically. No creature lives who would not be
 better for taking cold water on his back,
 no matter how weak or diseased he might
 be. Take my word for it, if you take a
 cold bath take it on your spine. If you
 take a warm or a hot bath, keep the heat
 away from your spine, and I promise you
 that you won't feel like your old languid
 self. Every woman who goes in for ath-
 letics should follow these two rules, and
 so should every man."—New York Sun.

MEASURING MOLECULES.

Lord Kelvin's Illustration Showing How
 Minute Are the Atoms.

It appears from calculations that the
 mean free path or distance traversed by
 the molecules between collisions in ordi-
 nary air is about one-half-millionth of an
 inch, while the speed of the molecules is
 such that each one experiences about
 8,000,000,000 of collisions per second. It
 would be hard perhaps to cite an illustra-
 tion showing the refinements of modern
 physics better than this; unless, indeed,
 one other result that followed directly
 from these calculations be considered such
 —the fact, namely, of measuring the size
 of the molecules themselves. Clausius was
 the first to point out how this might be
 done from a knowledge of the length of
 free path, and the calculations were made
 by Loschmidt in Germany, and by Lord
 Kelvin in England, independently.

The work is purely mathematical, of
 course, but the results are regarded as un-
 assailable. Indeed Lord Kelvin speaks of
 them as being absolutely demonstrative
 within certain limits of accuracy. This
 does not mean, however, that they show
 the exact dimensions of the molecule. It
 means an estimate of the limits of size
 within which the actual size of the mole-
 cule may lie. These limits, Lord Kelvin
 estimates, are about one-ton-millionth
 of a centimeter for the maximum, and
 one-one-hundred-millionth of a centime-
 ter for the minimum. Such figures convey
 no particular meaning to our blunt senses,
 but Lord Kelvin has given a tangible il-
 lustration that aids the imagination to at
 least a vague comprehension of the un-
 thinkable smallness of the molecule. He
 estimates that if a ball, say of water or
 glass, about the size of a football, were
 to be magnified up to the size of the earth,
 each constituent molecule being magnified
 in the same proportion, the magnified
 structure would be more coarse grained
 than a heap of shot, but probably less
 coarse grained than a heap of footballs."

—Henry Smith Williams, M. D., in Har-
 per's Magazine.

FISH WITH WINGS.

Something About These Queer Dwellers
 In the Sea.

The flying fish loves deep water and is
 found throughout the length and breadth
 of tropical seas. It is fond of feeding near
 the golf weed of the Sargasso and depos-
 its its bright, glutinous spawn on its yel-
 low branches. Vessels bound from New
 York to the Caribbean islands, says Forest
 and Stream, upon reaching the "horse lat-
 itudes," sometimes encounter vast quanti-
 ties of drifting weed, strung out into
 long ribbonlike patches about an eighth of
 a mile apart.

Among the golden weed, with its deli-
 cious leaves and globular seeds, exists a cu-
 rious family of cuttlefish, crabs, mollusks
 and small fishes. Upon these flying fish
 prey, and they in turn devour their
 spawn. Every plunge of the steamer as
 she plows through the blue tropical waters
 frightens dozens of flying fish into the air,
 where they scatter in all directions, with
 the sunlight glistening on their gauzy
 wings.

The flying fish of the Atlantic attains a
 length of nearly one foot and a breadth
 between wing tips of 11 inches. He has a
 round, compact body, about 1 inch in di-
 ameter near the pectoral fins or wings.
 There is also an auxiliary pair of ventral
 fins or wings, not nearly so large as the
 pectoral pair. The wings are formed by a
 thin, transparent membrane stretched over
 a delicate gray framework, and are either
 black, white or mottled with both. The
 upper half of the entire fish is a metallic
 blue in color, while the lower portion is a
 nacreous white. Black, prominent eyes,
 a small, prehensile mouth, forked tail,
 dorsal and anal fins complete the picture
 of one of the most interesting little fishes
 in all nature's vast aquarium.

In flight he darts from the water to a
 height of 30 feet and goes scudding rap-
 idly with both wings and tail. He sails
 straight away for 1,000 feet, or even more,
 occasionally touching the crest of a wave
 and seeming to gain a new impetus by the
 contact.

Specks Before the Eyes.

The generality of mankind have in all
 probability, at one period or the other,
 been troubled by specks before the eyes,
 and this condition of affairs is fre-
 quently caused by a torpid condition of
 the liver. These specks are occasioned by
 some foreign substance floating in the
 aqueous humor. The image of an object
 is formed on the retina in the back part
 of the eye, and the foreign object passes
 before that field, casting a shadow upon it
 in the same manner that clouds float be-
 fore the earth and the sun, casting a
 shadow upon the earth. Of course it in-
 terferes with a clear vision and is notice-
 able to a greater or less extent. These
 specks are foreign substances which should
 have been eliminated. With a torpid liver
 and a torpid elimination these foreign
 substances accumulate in the body every-
 where, and it is common for them to be
 thrown into the cavity of the eye. They
 occasion considerable annoyance and can
 be removed by the following treatment
 by improving the elimination to the ex-
 tent that all foreign matter is removed
 from the body. This can be done by reg-
 ulating the diet.—New York Ledger.

The Great Falls of the Manitow.

This cataraet, two miles from the
 mouth, is noteworthy even in a land of
 waterfalls. If it were accessible, it would
 be much visited. The whole river, as wide
 as the Potomac at Harper's Ferry, but of
 much greater volume, plunges over a precip-
 ice 113 feet high. The surrounding
 cliffs are covered with the fir and spruce
 of the western forest, and the endless fore-
 sts. The tumult of the water in the gorge
 below is such that a canoe cannot approach
 very near. There is no path or trail over
 the thickly overgrown rocks, and the rage
 of the plunging river must be conquered
 before the truly majestic beauty of the vir-
 gin fastness may be beheld. The roar of
 the fall can be heard long before one ap-
 proaches it, though the rising spray may
 be seen from a considerable distance out
 in the gulf.—Frederic Island in Scrib-
 ner's.

Oyster Instinct.

Oysters, after they have been brought
 away from the sea, know by instinct the
 exact hour when the tide is rising and ap-
 proaching their beds, and so, of their own
 accord, open their shells to receive their
 food from the sea as if they would still at
 home.

The Roentgen rays have a new sphere of
 usefulness. By their aid chalk can be de-
 tected in flour, brick dust in cayenne pep-
 per, sand in spices and many other similar
 sophistications.

The difficulty of registering the tempera-
 ture at the bottom of the ocean is due to
 the fact that at great depths the ther-
 mometer is crushed by the pressure.

TALK ABOUT STEEL.

ONE WHO KNOWS EXPLAINS METH-
 ODS OF MANUFACTURE.

Careful Purchasers Must Be Well Posted.

The Crucible, the Bessemer and the Open
 Hearth Steel—It Is What the Metal Con-
 tains That Counts, After All.

What is steel?

A metal composed of from 97 per cent
 to 99.00 of iron and from 8 per cent to .04
 of carbon is properly called steel. Many
 other substances, however, are commonly
 found in steel. Among these are sulphur,
 phosphorus, silicon, copper and manga-
 nese. These ingredients give various prop-
 erties to the metal, according to the
 amounts present. There are also several
 alloys of steel with other metals, but these
 are generally designated by hyphenated
 titles, such as "chrome-steel," "nickel-
 steel," etc.

How is steel made?

In many ways if we consider details.
 The principal methods are three. The re-
 sulting products are known as crucible
 steel, bessemer steel and open hearth steel.

What is crucible steel?

Crucible steel is obtained as the result
 of fusing together in a crucible the sub-
 stances desired in any quality of steel.

What is bessemer steel?

Bessemer steel is made by forcing a blast
 of air through melted iron. By this pro-
 cess the substances not desired in the steel
 are burned up. As some ingredients which
 are needed are also consumed, these sub-
 stances (carbon, etc.) are added before the
 liquid metal is permitted to cool.

What is open hearth steel?

Chemically the open hearth method is
 substantially the same as the bessemer
 process, but in making open hearth steel
 the forced blast is done away with and the
 metal while molting and after complete
 liquefaction is kept exposed to the air in
 such a way that the impurities are ox-
 idized or slowly burned out of the iron.
 The constituents other than iron are added
 before solidification.

Which is the best of these three kinds of
 steel?

There is no answer to this question as
 it is phrased. That steel is best whose
 strength, ductility, hardness, toughness,
 etc., are best adapted and proportioned for
 the use for which it is intended. These
 qualities depend upon the composition of
 the steel and upon its treatment—i. e.,
 whether it has been forged, rolled, drawn,
 tempered, annealed, etc.

It is wholly immaterial whether the
 mixing of the iron, carbon, manganese
 and the rest is done in a crucible, a bes-
 semer converter or an open hearth furnace
 so long as the same materials are com-
 pounded with equal skill and the steels
 treated after manufacture with the same
 care and judgment.

But it is generally conceded that
 crucible steel is the best.

By no means. There certainly was a
 time when the manufacturer of the cruci-
 ble method was more skillful and more
 successful than others. This process is the
 oldest, and its advocates attained excellence
 while others were experimenting—indeed
 before the later methods were devised. It
 is not to be wondered at that the traditions
 of that time are still current in many
 shops, and are expressed in many books
 which discuss the properties of steel. The
 method is still in use and is well adapted
 to the production of small quantities of
 special grades of steel, but, as a matter of
 fact, while every method of manufacture
 has its partisans, the superiority of crucible
 steel can no longer be demonstrated. This
 is conceded by prominent authorities and
 is the necessary conclusion of those who
 are familiar with the most recent investi-
 gations and tests.

Has any one of these three processes an
 advantage over the others?

The maker of steel will decide that ques-
 tion for himself, having due regard to
 his surroundings and to the scope of his
 undertaking. The user of steel will ask
 what the steel is made of, not what it is
 made in. He will aim to secure the prop-
 erties which suit his work without regard
 to the methods of manufacturing the
 metal. In general, if a man uses much
 steel he will be likely to purchase where
 he can get large quantities all alike. Cruci-
 ble steel, made in lots not exceeding 100
 pounds each, would hardly answer. A
 careful purchaser of steel analyzes and tests
 samples from each consignment which is
 received. To do this for one sample in ev-
 ery hundredweight would call for an intel-
 cable number of analyses, to say nothing
 of the uneven quality of the steel itself
 when considered in large quantities.

What is cast steel?

All steel made by the processes which
 we have discussed is really cast steel—that
 is, the metal becomes steel while molten
 and is then run in molds. The name cast
 steel should be restricted to steel which is
 cast in the shape in which it is intended
 to be used. The result is inferior for most
 uses to that obtained by forging and
 similar work. There is much con-
 fusion, however, in the popular use of this
 term.

What is tool steel?

The term has no scientific meaning.
 Those who use it mean any steel suitable
 for making tools. It may be crucible steel,
 bessemer steel, open hearth steel or steel
 made by some less important method.
 For no good reason the name tool steel is
 often restricted with almost superstitious
 awe. The agent of the steelmaker calls a
 substance tool steel, knowing little or
 nothing of its composition and properties.
 The steel user buys it, the workman
 makes things of it, the consumer buys and
 uses the things. Sometimes the steel is
 adapted to its use and everybody is satis-
 fied. Sometimes it is not, and the con-
 sumer finds fault and the agent sells no
 more steel to that manufacturer. Mean-
 time nobody concerned, except the original
 maker, has the least idea what the stuff
 called tool steel really is. No manufacturer
 knows what he is buying unless he has a
 laboratory where his purchase can be
 tested.

What is machine steel?

That is another shop name. It is ap-
 plied to any steel which is soft enough to
 be easily cut and drilled.

On the whole, does it make any differ-
 ence how steel is made?

No. No matter how the steel is made,
 it is correct in chemical constitution and
 physical properties, and there are matters
 of fact to be ascertained by careful tests,
 not matters of opinion to be decided by
 oratory.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Donkey and Wife.

Among the lower classes in Tenerife
 the woman is very badly treated. The hus-
 band, brother or even son is a species of
 petty tyrant, and 99 times in 100, when on
 his way to the town in company with his
 wife and his donkey, he rides the donkey,
 and she carries the burden on her head. A
 great weight is often so supported.

THE GLUTTON OSTRICH.

How the Greed of One of the Animals
 Was Punished.

For odd appetites the goat and the ostri-
 ch stand supreme, with the ostrich just
 a step ahead, and yet an ostrich finds trou-
 ble in swallowing a hot potato. A South
 African writer tells an amusing story of
 greed and how it was punished. He says:
 "These ostriches were a source of endless
 trouble to us. They grew rapidly and de-
 veloped great kicking

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PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

Statesman Bailey, of Texas, indignantly denies the report that he was betting stock farms and thoroughbred horses on the election of Bryan. In a word, Mr. Bailey wants it understood that he isn't such a dunce as all that.

Yet all must admit that Croker's heart to heart talks with young men on the subject of trusts constitute one of the most fascinating literary features of the campaign. In the interests of art we hope they may sooner or later be dramatized.

Pitchfork Tillman is now engaged in the cheerful task of carrying Wisconsin for Bryan by 60,000 majority. The feeling at democratic headquarters is that so long as he sticks to that job he won't be able to make any trouble for his party in other states.

A walk or drive along the country roads nowadays is almost as good as a vacation. The piles of ruddy apples, the reared, harvest time appearance of the fields and the husking scenes in the big barns go to make up an idyllic picture of prosperity.

There isn't one out of a dozen of Bryan's Tagal friends in Luzon who knows the difference between the declaration of independence and a separatist alliance of the vintage of 1898. Bryan, however, is resolved to bulldoze these little brown chaps into forming an independent republic.

An uprising of the native tribes of Alaska and the consequent killing of a few hundred American soldiers would doubtless be excused by Bryan on the general ground that we are trying to govern the natives without their consent. He could not consistently withhold from the Alaskans the same sympathy and support which he so freely extends to the Tagals.

"No political outcry," says William McKelvey, "can abrogate our treaty of peace with Spain, or abrogate our treaty of peace with the United States, which I begged the senate to ratify," retorts W. J. Bryan, "is a sham and a fraud. The obligations which it imposes are not binding. Tear up your treaty, haul down your flag and give the world an exhibition of my kind of American honesty and courage."

American money is going abroad, not merely to supply the needs of foreign governments, on security of their bonds, but to put life into foreign enterprises which have been languishing for lack of capital or of the energy and boldness necessary to carry them out. The purchase of a lumbering charter for an underground railroad in London for half a million dollars by an American capitalist who expects to put \$20,000,000 of American money into the construction and equipment of a new and much needed rapid transit line in the British metropolis, is an incident of much significance.

Bryan's attempt to hide the free silver conspiracy behind the fictitious issue of "imperialism" has ended in utter failure. The people know that he is a trickster and a fraud; they refuse to be deceived by a pretense so hollow and insincere, and even those who at first were misled by his noisy rant have already discovered their mistake and repudiated his leadership. There is but one of Bryan's declarations which the public accepts as thoroughly earnest and sincere, and that is his statement at Knoxville, Tenn., on September 16, 1896: "I promise that the gold standard will not be maintained in this country any longer than I am able to get rid of it."



BURNING BODIES OF THE DROWNED AT GALVESTON, TEXAS.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Items of General Interest, Personal Mention and Various Notes.

The battleship Alabama will probably be placed in commission about the 7th of October.

Lieutenant Hobson regards the establishment of a large naval dockyard in the Philippines as imperatively necessary.

The construction of the new stone dry dock at the Mare Island yard will necessitate a change in the berth of the old receiving ship Independence.

Mr. William Howell Higbee, who served during the Civil war as Acting Assistant Paymaster, U. S. N., died Sept. 21 at the Oakdale, New York city. He had an excellent war record.

The disposition of the Oregon in the immediate future has become some what of a problem to the navy department, but it is generally understood that as soon as the Chinese situation clears a little the ship will be sent to San Francisco for permanent repairs.

The freedom thus far of the Pensacola navy yard from yellow fever has been favorably commented on by naval officers, and it is supposed a large part of this immunity has been due to the vigilant care with which all causes of infection have been barred from the station by the present commander of the yard, Comdr. W. W. Reisinger, U. S. N.

Rear Admiral J. O. Watson, U. S. N., recently home from command of the Atlantic squadron, will be granted an extended leave of absence before receiving any assignment to duty on shore, and the department has as yet come to no definite conclusion as to where this officer will be assigned. Admiral Watson does not retire for age until 1904.

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GUS SUN'S MINSTRELS.

Gus Sun's American minstrels, a company that has heretofore confined itself to the west, appeared at Music hall on Wednesday evening and gave satisfaction to a fair sized audience. The first part caused general surprise by the richness of its settings and the novelty introduced. The costumes were worthy of special mention.

During the performance many new songs were introduced and they were all well received. Messrs. Yorkey, Sun, Lynch, Marion, Pearl, Lambert and Anderson comprised a whole show in themselves. The olio contained a number of meritorious features. Marion and Pearl were the bright particular stars.

The show, as a whole, is a good one and presents features which would take well on a metropolitan stage. Mr. Sun has succeeded in gathering around himself some very clever people. The show is conducted with a dash and vim that is highly entertaining and refreshing.

E. W. Chipman makes a conversationalist of uncommon grace and tact. He added considerably to the magnetism of the entertainment.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Ward Four.

The republicans of ward four will hold a caucus on Friday evening, Oct. 5th, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming election to be held on Nov. 6th, 1900. Per order,
J. M. VAUGHAN, Chairman.
C. F. COLZ, Secretary.

THE POWERFUL JEFFRIES.

As all the world loves a lover so all the world admires and respects the title, the man of pluck and muscle, of brain and courage, of skillful resource and indomitable purpose, who battles down opposition and asserts supreme superiority in whatever walk of life he may essay, the victorious athlete, commander of the world's homage and curious interest, his movements, his utterances and his achievements are also chronicled by minute details by the newspapers. They are discussed in the homes and in the public places by men and women in every station of life. His name is a



JAMES J. JEFFRIES.

household word from ocean to ocean, in far off lands beyond the sea. He is focused more prominently in the fierce white light of publicity than the general, diplomat or statesman. He will be at Music hall.

Such a celebrity has James J. Jeffries become through his overthrow of his greatest rivals in the art of boxing that the world has produced. Twice the victor over the stalwart Sharkey, he has also decisively defeated Jackson, Goddard, Fitzsimmons and Corbett and holds the world's championship, a title that he is ever ready to defend upon reasonable notice. Jeffries will be seen at Music hall tomorrow evening in his splendid show, A Man from the West.

ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire branch Women's auxiliary, board of missions, of the Episcopal church, was held at the Queen's chapel on Wednesday. There was a large attendance of delegates from all over the state.

Many prominent workers in the mission cause were present, among them Mrs. Niles, wife of Bishop Niles. The pretty chapel was very rich in its adornments of autumn foliage and flowers.

The services were deeply interesting, and included the solemn rites of the holy communion, following which was a very eloquent and interesting address by the rector, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, and brief remarks by others. Another pleasing feature was the reading of a letter from Harrington Little, missionary to China, nephew of Captain Harrington at the navy yard. The letter was read by the mother of the writer.

At noon the delegates were all invited to be guests of Mrs. R. Bradford at her residence on Court street, and here a most dainty and delicious lunch was served. It was a lively social hour most thoroughly enjoyed.

The afternoon was devoted to a business meeting, the reading of receipts and various other matters of interest. The attendance was excellent and among the delegates present were a number from Concord, Nashua, Manchester, Exeter and other places.

WHAT'S YOUR FACE WORTH?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complexion. Only 25 cents at the Globe Grocery Co.

THE MEN WITH MEADE

Our Marine Officer Talks Interestingly of the Fighting at Tien Tsin.

Col. Robert L. Meade, U. S. M. C., who was sent to China from the Portsmouth navy yard, has arrived in Boston on the return from the far east. He is visiting his family and will soon take command of the marine barracks at the New York navy yard.

Col. Meade was the commander of the American forces at the battle of Tien Tsin, and on his arrival in Boston gave the reporters some most valuable stories of the fighting. Among other things, Col. Meade said:

All the Americans served well before Tien Tsin. There were many fine examples of courage and faithfulness. We were in a trench for fourteen hours under fire, at about 600 yards range. Capt. Davis was killed, standing beside me; Lieut. Butler and Leonard were hit—you know our casualties. Officers and men took things coolly. There were jests and amusing comments every little while. I think Davis was saying something amusing to me when he was struck. My orderly (Private James Cooney, the colonel's orderly at Boston, Portsmouth and Cavite) is a good example of the conduct of the enlisted men. He was kneeling in the trench taking deliberate aim over the crest when a Manner struck his leg and damaged it badly. Cooney's face became bloody. He was dazed. He sat there a few moments. The surgeon came along and found him unhurt. Cooney picked up a dead man's piece and went to work again.

WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK.

The Bennett-Moulton company opened a good business in Dover this week. The Black Patti company showed at Lowell, Mass., last night.

James K. Hackett and Henry Miller announce that they will cut loose from the Frohmans.

Carrie Radcliffe is now Mrs. Ignacio Martinetti. Her former husband was John Ferns and his former wife was Flo Irwin.

Local theatre-goers are predicting one of the biggest houses of the season when James Jeffries comes to Music hall Friday evening.

Realism and rusticity are the keynotes to the triumph of the County Fair, which will soon be presented in this city, with Neil Burgess himself in his original creation of Abigail Prue.

Chas. H. Yale has added a number of new scenes and mechanical devices to his operatic spectacle The Evil Eye and elaborated and rebuilt the revolving windmill, the disappearing rooms and cataplectic draw bridge, making them weirdly marvelous.

On the New England circuit this week: Phelan company in repertoire, James J. Jeffries in The Man from the West, Faust, Secret Service, A Milk White Flag, Gus Sun's Minstrels, Black Path Troubadours, The Angel of the Alley, Why Smith Left Home, A Tin Soldier, Davy Crockett, A Romance of Coon Hollow, The County Fair, The Red Cat Inn.

TELEGRAPHIC TIPS.

A swordfish was caught in a mackerel net at Provincetown.

The coal miners in Middlesboro, Ky., decide to continue the strike.

It is the weather alone that is preventing a coal shortage in New York.

Rich finds are reported in the Porcupine district and a rush is predicted.

It is announced that Melbourne will be the capital of confederated Australia.

A sanitary expert declares that the crowded condition of Galveston is serious.

Awful stories of Chinese butcheries in San-Si province are cabled from Tien Tsin.

Admiral Kempf reports that there is no truth in the statement that the gunboat Villalobos, with Captain Shields and fifty-one men, was captured by Philipinos.

Alabama planters are advised to hold their cotton crop until after Oct. 15th, for higher prices.

Only about half of the Maine ice supply was sold last summer; a new source of output is proposed.

Senator Foreaker says that Ohio will

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For a republican by a much greater majority than ever before.

The price of provisions has been lowered twenty-five per cent by the military authorities in South Africa.

The Northwestern Steamship Co. is to run a direct line of steamers from the Great Lakes to Liverpool next season.

The republican national committee predicts 286 electoral votes for McKinley, 112 for Bryan and fifty-four in doubt.

SPORTING NOTES.

Unity in Portsmouth athletics seems to be a thing of the past.

The High school eleven will be coached this fall by Dr. Locke.

Boxing exhibitions do not seem to be as popular in Portsmouth as they were.

The athletes of York are talking of trying their hands at basket ball the coming winter.

George Newkirk is another old time foot ball player who will not be seen on the gridiron this year.

The Newburyport Athletic club would like to measure strength with a Portsmouth foot ball team.

That base ball game between the Somersworth and Portsmouth teams seems to have been overlooked.

The first foot ball game of the season will be played Saturday between the Maplewood and High school elevens.

STATE NEWS.

Items of Interest to People in This Part of New Hampshire.

Goffstown Congregationalists will hold a fair Nov. 14.

C. A. Norton of Derry has been appointed a deputy sheriff.

Mrs. G. B. Cochran has sold her place at Enfield Center to D. H. Harvey for \$800.

Rev. Father George A. Guerin has been transferred from Lebanon to East Manchester.

The population of Meredith, according to the new census, is 1713, a gain of 71 during the decade.

The board of managers of the Nashua Home for Aged Women has decided to hold a fair in the city hall on Nov. 14, 15 and 16.

Koy Stickney, a seven-year-old boy, was the victim of a bad accident at Grange, recently. A falling scythe laid bare the flesh to the bone of the arm from shoulder to elbow. Dr. Leith of Lancaster is attending him, and at present he is doing nicely.

KILLED A DOG.

A large black dog belonging to Webster Philbrick of Rye was killed by an electric car on Tuesday night, near the Philbrick house. The animal lay on the track and was killed almost instantly, not uttering even a yelp.

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Mrs. G. W. Granger

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WHEN AND WHERE THEY MEET.

A Guide for Visitors and Members.

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Meets at Hall, Petros Block, High St., Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Officers—Charles K. Cole, P. C.; Charles E. Oliver, N. C.; Willis Mathes, V. C.; Robert M. Herriock, H. P.; Charles W. Ham, V. B.; True W. Priest, K. of E.; Allison L. Phinney, C. of E.; Samuel R. Gardner, M. of R.; George P. Knight, S. H.

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Meets at Hall, Franklin Block, First and Third Thursdays of each month.

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Meets in Odd Fellows Hall every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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The Degree Ring will be displayed when degrees are to be conferred. Watch for it. All brother Odd Fellows not members of the Lodge are cordially invited to attend the Lodge meetings and are assured a cordial greeting.

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\$3.00 Ladies' Queen Quality Russet Boots	\$2.40	\$1.25 and \$1.50 Boys' Black Shoes	98c
\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Ladies' Russet Boots	\$1.59	\$1.25 Boys' Russet Shoes	98c
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Ladies' High Cut Bicycle Boots	\$2.29	Misses' Oxfords	98c
\$2.50 Ladies' High Cut Bicycle Boots	\$1.23	Ladies' Oxfords	96
\$3.50 Jenness Miller Boots	\$2.98	Ladies' Boots	96c
\$3.00 All Queen Quality Boots, button and lace	\$2.49	\$2.00 and \$2.50 Ladies' Button Boots, small sizes	69c

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THE HERALD.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

CITY BRIEFS

No police court.
Jeffries comes tomorrow.
The fog hangs on like a leech.
Railroad travel is light at present.
There were no arrivals at this port today.

Foot ball enthusiasm seems to be scarce this fall.

The ferryboat Kittery did not go on the route today.

Regular meeting of the Portsmouth Yacht club this evening.

Every warm day until December will be called "Indian summer."

A democratic rally is to be held here the latter part of the month.

There are several cargoes of coal being unloaded at the north end.

The fall styles for footwear are now adorning the shoe store windows.

The cider mills are grinding out energy for the 1901 haying season.

The Portsmouth Yacht club's stag party will probably occur next week.

The sweet cider "five a quart" wagon is making its annual tour of the city.

The price of cod and haddock in the local fish markets is seven cents per pound.

The fall time table will go into effect on the Boston and Maine railroad next Monday.

Some of the local merchants are already receiving their stock of Christmas novelties.

There is a return of the epidemic of colds in the city. The weather is given as the cause.

The breakwater in front of the steel railway buildings at Hampton beach is to be extended.

The Portsmouth Athletic club's 1899 whist tournament will probably be concluded this season.

The man who "thought it was a deer" is abroad, and it is safer to meet a cornered bull moose.

Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

The Rebekah assembly of this state will meet in Concord on Oct. 9th and 10th, and will be attended by a number from this city.

WANTED.—History of Rockingham and Strafford Counties, N. H. Must be in good condition and cheap. Address, Insurance, care of Herald.

The school board of Newfields is enforcing the law regarding the vaccination of school children. About 100 were vaccinated Tuesday.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itching of the skin in any part of the body. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

About a dozen of the Knights Templar went to Hampstead today on invitation of the members of the Portsmouth commandery in the vicinity of Epping.

James Quinn was taken to the county house of correction to serve several sentences that were recently imposed on condition that he would keep out of town.

A boon to travelers. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Cures dysentery, diarrhoea, seasickness, nausea. Pleasant to take. Acts promptly.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Fulbridge, West Cornwall, Conn.

The latest song has the classical title of "Who Threw the Overalls in Mrs. Murphy's Chowder?" It is the companion piece of "A Splinter From My Sweetheart's Wooden Leg."

An order has been issued to the postmasters throughout the country to observe the strictest economy with rubber bands, and to reuse old bands as much as possible and to save all pieces of string for future use.

The yield of apples in Rockingham county was never so large as now, and they are hardly worth the picking. A shipment of 3000 barrels is being made from North Hampton to Virginia. The shipper receives only 45 cents a barrel, hand picked and shipped in bulk.

The retail market shows a few changes this week and most of these are downward. In meats the only change is a drop of three cents in spring broilers; in vegetables, potatoes came down to seventy five cents a bushel, and several varieties of fish sell for less than they did last week.

Worms?
If a child is illing don't neglect to use
TRUE'S PIN WORM ELIXIR
It cures all the worms that infest the human
system, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea,
Colic, No. 10, Dr. J. P. French & Co. Auburn, Me.

CAME BACK AND WAS ARRESTED.

James Quinn was arrested on Wednesday evening, Oct. 3d, by Officers Anderson and Hilton, on the strength of a mittimus provided for by Judge Emery in the police court a number of months ago, when Quinn was arraigned on a charge of drunkenness. At that time, sentence was suspended on condition that he get out of the city and stay out for three years. He went across the river into Kittery and secured a position in the construction gang of the Portsmouth, Kittery and York road, where he had worked ever since. On Wednesday evening, Quinn came back into the city and after calling at a number of places for drinks, he was sighted by the policemen and promptly taken into custody. He went along peacefully to the station. The mittimus sends him to jail for six months and in addition, there are several other suspended sentences hanging over his head, aggregating altogether eighteen months, which probably will be enforced today.

THE PENDING CAMPAIGN.

Partisanship runs high in Nebraska, and especially at the capital of the state. This fact coupled with the circumstance that Lincoln is the home of Mr. Bryan, explains in part the tremendous welcome given Governor Roosevelt there. Nowhere does the democratic candidate find warmer political friends and more bitter political enemies than at home. The welcome, whose conspicuous figure was a procession three miles long, was the finest demonstration ever known to that state, and for a town of 40,000 people was certainly remarkable. Of course the effect of all this is to boom McKinley's chances of carrying the state. Mr. Bryan has gone into Wisconsin and is making anti-trust speeches to farmers.

COMMITTEE AT WORK.

The republican state committee headquarters were opened in Concord Wednesday in White's opera house block and the click of typewriters indicated that the official staff was down to business. The newly appointed secretary, Thomas F. Clifford, of Franklin, was on hand, as was also H. D. Brock, clerk of the House of Representatives. The private room is to be occupied by the chairman, Senator Jacob H. Gallinger, of Concord.

MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS.

Admiral Schley has sailed on his flagship Chicago from Montevideo for Rio de Janeiro. The Brutus has arrived at Yokohama. The Zeffro has sailed from Shanghai for Taku. The Essex has sailed from Plymouth for Lisbon. The Dixie has sailed from Fort Monroe for Fayal. The battleship Alabama has been ordered into commission at Cranston on Oct. 10, with Capt. Brownson as commander.

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Those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, eczema, eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism or dyspepsia, say it cures promptly and permanently, even after all other preparations fail. You may take this medicine with the utmost confidence that it will do you good. What it has done for others you have every reason to believe it will do for you.

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LOCAL POLITICS.

The political pot is not yet boiling enough to throw off much steam. The democrats have raised one campaign banner and the republicans will probably follow suit soon, but neither party has done anything definite toward organizing marching companies or holding rallies. With the election less than five weeks away, this general apathy is somewhat surprising.

REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE.

The representatives of the republicans of the five wards met at the city rooms on Wednesday evening and organized a city committee. Samuel W. Emery was elected chairman and Joshua M. Vaughan was chosen secretary. The meeting adjourned to the call of the chair.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Rev. William H. Alden, D. D., will be held at the Middle street church on Friday afternoon at two o'clock. The body can be viewed from twelve o'clock, noon, until the hour for the service.

MARITIME NOTES.

Sailed, Oct. 3.—Ella L. Davenport, for South Amboy.
Arrived, Oct. 3.—Tug Piscataqua, York, towing barge P. N. Co. No. 10, for Boston.

STORE AND MARKET NEWS.

Items of Interest to the Public from the Places of Business.

The past week has been quite unfavorable for general trading. The weather has been of the kind that is not attractive for shoppers to come out and the dealers suffered in consequence.

There has been an average advance of three cents per basket in the grape market within the past few days, on account of the small sales, which are due to the fact that the shippers have very few.

Marketmen report that fancy green stein apples are commanding very high prices in the Boston Markets.

Out in the country the farmers are giving away their apples to their neighbors who have no orchards, as the fruit is hardly worth the trouble of picking, with a price of forty cents a barrel for shipment.

One of the store windows on Market street has an attractive display of autumn leaves on the glass and a background of branches, covered with frost tinged and beautifully colored foliage.

The fish dealers say that not nearly as many big fish are landed here now as formerly.

The vegetables, fresh from the country fields, make splendid displays at the provision stores.

The fall styles have entirely taken the place of the summer designs in the store windows.

Large quantities of grapes are on the local market and are of good quality.

The displays in the millinery store windows are carefully inspected by the ladies. The fall openings are under way and the products of the places will turn up in the churches next Sunday.

The latest and most fetching campaign novelty for sale in the city is the Rough Rider hatpin.

The sporting goods stores are showing some fine things in their line. Guns and rifles are marked at prices about the same as last year and there is a better assortment. A good single barrel shotgun can be purchased for \$6 and the repeating rifles are at the price fixed by the manufacturers.

A FIENDISH ATTACK.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at the Globe Grocery Co.

TO BE SENTENCED TODAY.

The case of Amos W. Ames of Kittery Point will come before the York county supreme court at Alfred today, when the respondent will be sentenced for the breaking and entering of the house of Walter Ames at Kittery Point last fall and the larceny of a bicycle. S. P. Emery of this city is counsel for Ames. The case has many rather strange features. Ames comes from most respectable people in the town and had no apparent object in taking the wheel.

REPUBLICANS, ATTENTION!

The republicans of the city are invited to meet at the probate court room in the court house on State street on Monday evening, Oct. 8th, at 7.30 p. m., to form a republican club and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Per order city committee, SAMUEL W. EMERY, chairman, JOSHUA M. VAUGHAN, secretary.

CITY BRIEFS.

The police have not made an arrest today.

The fall openings of millinery are just as important to the ladies as those before Easter.

A strong wind would rake off the yellow leaves that dangle from withered stems just now.

The schooner Cassie Bronson is on the way here with a cargo of coal for the north end wharves this morning to discharge their cargoes.

Several coal vessels were brought up to the north end wharves this morning to discharge their cargoes.

The scholars of the public schools are getting accustomed to their books and the restraint of the school room.

Harry B. Ball, who is slated to be missing from Boston, is a Portsmouth boy and has many friends in this city.

The arch at the head of Daniel street remains in good condition and will not be taken down yet awhile, it is said. It is a gentle reminder of the big celebration.

The body of Mrs. Gordon, wife of Dr. J. W. Gordon, of Ogunquit, was sent to Concord and funeral services were held there at four o'clock this afternoon.

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PERSONALS

Roy Carrier has gone to Chicago to study law.

Col. Frank Christie of Dover was in the city today.

Mrs. W. Wallace Junkins is passing a few days in Concord.

William Micott has entered the employ of Currier and Dunbar.

Mrs. John Hodgdon of Deer street is passing a few days in Boston.

John Jameson is home from Boston after a very successful fishing trip.

Walter Lord, clerk at the postoffice, is passing a vacation in New York.

Miss Georgie Hill is attending the Maine musical festival in Portland.

J. Lincoln Coleman and Herbert O. Prime are enjoying a gunning trip in York, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Carroll of Daniel street left on Wednesday for a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cheever of State street left on Wednesday, the 3d inst., for a trip to the mountains.

E. W. Chipman, interlocutor with Sun's minstrels, was entertained here by Walter Sawyer, an old schoolmate.

Andrew E. Sherburne of Roxbury, who has been the guest for several days of Mrs. Louisa B. West and daughter, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Gerrish of Deer street and Miss Alice Gerrish left on Wednesday, the 3d inst., for Albany and New York city.

E. Scott Owen has been elected chairman of the executive committee of the New Hampshire Life Insurance Underwriters' association.

Henry P. Payne, of the firm of Payne & Walker, is enjoying his annual vacation, a portion of which he will pass in Worcester, Mass.

Miss Fannie Hodgdon, clerk at French's dry and fancy goods establishment, entertained the clerks at supper on Wednesday evening, the 3d inst.

The Misses Vennard have sent out invitations for an "at home" on Saturday next, from four to six o'clock, at their residence on Richards avenue.

Mrs. John E. Kostarizer and Miss Julia Kostarizer, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wendell of Winter street, have returned to Crawfordville, Indiana.

Charles E. Manent, who has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. Wallace Junkins, for several weeks, has returned to the New Hampshire Odd Fellows' home at Concord.

Miss Nora T. Keefe is to be book-keeper and Miss Annie O'Connor her assistant at John Holland's store during the absence in Europe of Miss Lena B. Holland and her aunt, Miss Mary A. McCarthy.

John Sugden and wife of this city, who left some six weeks ago for a trip abroad, visiting England, Holland, the Paris exposition and other places of interest while there, sailed from Liverpool last Friday for home.

Among the out of the city folks here today was Gen. William F. Chadwick of Exeter and he was greeted like a returning citizen by all who met him. Since the celebration Gen. Chadwick has been thought of as one of our citizens and he deserves the consideration as such.

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Mrs. WINDLOW'S ROOSTING STUFF has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Julia Barrett.

Mrs. Julia Barrett of Green street, who has been under treatment at the Cottage hospital, died at that institution early on Wednesday morning. She leaves a number of children. The funeral will occur on Friday morning at eight o'clock, at the church of the Immaculate Conception.

OBSEQUIES.

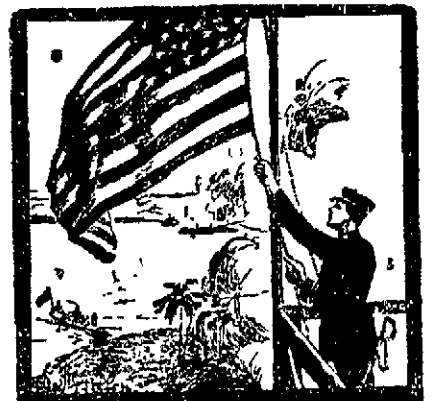
The funeral of John F. French, one of the pioneer milk dealers of North Hampton, was held in the Congregational church in that town at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. The pastor officiated. There was a very large attendance of the townspeople. Interment was in the North Hampton cemetery.

APPLES TO GIVE AWAY.

The managers of the farmers' fruit offering are receiving notices daily of apples on the way to Boston from various parts of the New England states. Two carloads have just arrived, one from Littleton, Mass., and the other from Durham. Another carload will be sent by the Christian Endeavor society of Derry next week, and still another from Henniker, N. H.

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